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7. (Unclassified - ELS) LIAISON Jim Fellenbaum, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, reported that the Defense Appropriations bill action by the Senate will be stopped because of the President's veto of the Defense Procurement Authorization bill.

8. (Unclassified - ELS) BRIEFING Carter Baird, a member of the Surveys and Investigations Staff of the House Appropriations Committee, called to ask for threat briefings on central European forces and on U.S. air defense vulnerability by unarmed bombers. He is doing a study of the Airborne Early Warning and Control System (AWACS).

9. (Unclassified - MG) LIAISON Received a call from Peter Hunt, House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Subcommittee on Energy and Power staff, who requested a copy of the recently released Polar Atlas. I told him that I would forward a copy to him.

10. (Unclassified - DFM) LIAISON Received a call from Hal Ford, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who said he would like to come out to Agency Headquarters tomorrow to work on revisions of the report on intelligence on China.

11. (Unclassified - DFM) LIAISON Received a call from Lot Cooke, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who said the Committee did not have a record of receiving a receipt on a document sent to the Agency on 1 August. Cooke gave me the reference numbers and I agreed to check whether we received it.

12. (Unclassified - DFM) LIAISON Called Patrick Norton, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, and told him we wanted to further examine the issue of showing the [redacted] file to the House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs Subcommittee on Energy and the Environment and he said he would not show it to the Minority Staff member scheduled to review the file today, but might have to make some reference to it. I said I would let him know as soon as possible what action we would want to take on this file.

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13. (Unclassified - HMS) LIAISON Received a call from Shelly Reed, in the office of Representative Goodloe Byron (R., Md.), requesting, for a reporter who had called the Congressman's office, a statement issued by CIA regarding Cuba's denunciation of CIA activities at the Havana Youth Festival. After checking with the Office of Public Affairs, I called Shelly and told her the Agency had issued no such statement. She thanked me for my help.

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14. (Internal Use Only - GMC) LIAISON Along with [] STAT
[] OGC, attended a meeting STAT
called by House Judiciary Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship
and International Law Chairman Joshua Eilberg (D., Pa.) concerning
Subcommittee staff access to Executive Branch material pertaining
to the Subcommittee's continuing investigation of alleged Nazi
war criminals residing in the U.S. (See Memorandum for the
Record.)

15. (Confidential - MMP) LIAISON Richard H. Giza, House
Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence staff, called to
advise us that the Attorney General had reacted to the report from
representatives of the Department of Justice that several Members
of the Committee are heated up about the need for adequate
criminal laws to prosecute those who reveal the identities
of CIA officers under cover. This was by way of follow-up to
the briefing of the Committee the preceding evening on damages
caused by Philip Agee's revelations. (See Memorandum for the
Record, OLC 78-2991/1.)

16. (Confidential - MMP) LIAISON Michael J. O'Neil, Chief
Counsel, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence,
called to invite me to discuss with the Committee parameters
for the Agency's reporting on its relationship with foreign
liaison services. We agreed that I would see them at 9:30 a.m.
the following day.

17. (Unclassified - MMP) LIAISON Called Joan Campbell,
in the office of Representative Edward P. Boland (D., Mass.),
and secured her concurrence in extending the response to a letter
from a constituent whose name is [] an alleged STAT
former Agency employee, to 25 August 1978.

18. (Unclassified - MMP) LIAISON Adele Liskov, in the office
of Representative William Lehman (D., Fla.), called with a request
to provide the Congressman with a briefing on the political
affiliation of international terrorism groups with particular
reference to the P.L.O., Baader-Meinhof and other international
terrorists and the degrees to which any or all of these are
affiliated with neo-Nazi groups. After checking with Pat Taylor,
NFAC/CSS, I told Ms. Liskov that we did not have any information
that would link these international terrorist organizations
with Nazism.

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